

disclosure and teaching of the invention, added unnecessary bulk to the application, and so were removed.

Applicants submit that the prior removal of Figures 5 and 6 from the application, which figures contained the only nucleotide sequences set forth in the application, renders the present requirement for submission of a Sequence Listing moot. Withdrawal of the requirement is therefore requested.

Applicants believes that the present application is in condition for allowance. Favorable consideration of the application as amended is respectfully requested.

The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned by telephone if it is felt that a telephone interview would advance the prosecution of the present application.

Respectfully submitted,

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